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Applicant(s): Paul Maurice Burling

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For : HEAT RESISTANT PRODUCT AND METHOD

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

The present submission is made, under Certificate Of Mailing, on Monday, September 23, 2002, and is timely, since the Restriction Requirement required response by one month from August 22, 2002, and September 22, 2002 was a Sunday.

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant hereby elects the method claims 17-24 and 27 of Group III. As discussed by the undersigned Counsel with the Examiner on the telephone, Applicant is submitting herewith a Supplemental Preliminary Amendment, setting forth amended method claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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